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In re U.S. Patent Application of Thomas)
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Application No. 09/885,130) Confirmation No. 4700
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For: Device Synchronisation Over a) Group Art Unit: 2611
Network)

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

MS: Amendments
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 18, 2006. The Office Action set a three-month response period, making this paper due on or before February 18, 2007. A request for a one-month extension is being filed in conjunction with this paper. If any fees are deemed owed with this submission or if overpayment has been made, the Commissioner is authorized to debit or credit our Deposit Account No. 19-0733, accordingly. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the following:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.